



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Anthony HEATWOLE et al.

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Examiner: Miew, K.

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Customer No.: 20991

Attorney Docket No.: 10792-1015

Client Docket No.: PD-200219

For: APPORTIONING BANDWIDTH CAPACITY IN COMMUNICATION SWITCHING SYSTEMS  
DIRECTOR OF PATENTS AND TRADEMARKS  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

FEES CALCULATION	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREV. PAID FOR	NO. OF EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	36	MINUS	40	0	\$18	\$ 0.00
INDEP. CLAIMS	12	MINUS	4	8	\$86	\$ 688.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Petition is hereby made under 37 CFR § 1.136(a) to extend the time for response to the Office Action of <u>July 19, 2004</u> to and through <u>September 22, 2004</u> , for an extension of:						\$ 0.00
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TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE DUE:						\$ 688.00

Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR § 1.27.

No additional fee is required.

Payment of \$ \_\_\_ by Credit Card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of any fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 50-0383, including any filing fees under 37 CFR § 1.16 for presentation of extra claims and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR § 1.17

Respectfully submitted,

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I hereby certify that this correspondence and all correspondence identified as accompanying this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to the Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Alexandria, VA, 22313-1450 on September 22, 2004.

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## RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.111

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed July 19, 2004 please amend the above identified application as follows:

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